

Lydia Mae Bruchey, niece
and next friend of Laura
V. Smith

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No. 16563 Equity.

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In the Circuit Court

on

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Petition

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for Frederick County.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF SAID COURT:

The Petition of Lydia Mae Bruchey, niece and next friend of Laura V. Smith respectfully represents unto your Honorable Court:

FIRST: That she is the niece and next friend of Laura V. Smith, a resident of Frederick County, Maryland, and, of course, has known her all her life.

SECOND: That the said Laura V. Smith, because of physical and mental disability, has been removed to the Montevue Home, Frederick County, Maryland, where she is at the present time.

THIRD: That the said Laura V. Smith has no near relatives except nieces and nephews.

FOURTH: That the said Laura V. Smith is not in condition mentally or physically to look after and manage her property and estate properly, and it becomes imperative that some suitable person or persons be appointed to take charge of and manage her property and estate.

FIFTH: That your Petitioner filed herewith certificate of two medical doctors practicing in the State of Maryland, for the last five years who have attended the said Laura V. Smith within ten days before the filing of this Petition, said certificates being marked Exhibits Nos. 1 and 2 to this Petition.

SIXTH: That the said Laura V. Smith is possessed of a small bank account in the Citizens National Bank of Frederick, and two properties, one known as No. 408 East Patrick Street, Frederick, Maryland, a dwelling house, and the other known as No. 406, a restaurant and store-room,

SEVENTH: That your Petitioner believes that it would be to the best interest and advantage of said estate that a committee or trustee be appointed to manage the property and affairs of the said Laura V. Smith.